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Re: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/588,852 for METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR COMMUNICATING SS7 MESSAGES OVER PACKET-BASED NETWORK USING TRANSPORT ADAPTER LAYER INTERFACE
Our File No. 1322/27/2

Sir:

Please find enclosed in connection with the subject U.S. patent application the following documents:

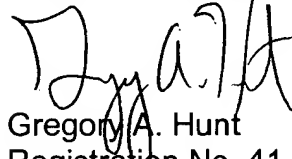
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2. Form PTO/SB/08A (1 page) in duplicate;
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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98, applicants' undersigned attorney brings to the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office the document listed on the attached form PTO/SB/08A. A copy of the reference as well as Form PTO/SB/08A is attached hereto. This is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made or that a reference is relevant merely because cited.

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